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Admiral Stansfield Turner
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

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Dear Mr. Director:

In past letters I have requested compartmented security clearances for my S. Res. 4 designee to the Senate Armed Services Committee. By Section 705. (c) (1) of that Resolution my designee has all the privileges of a professional staff member of the Committee. The purpose of the Resolution is to assist members in discharging their committee responsibilities by having a specific staff member attend hearings and briefings with the member (and alone, when conflicts prevent the member's attendance). In this way the member and staff person can have the same information base and work together on committee business.

The "need-to-know" in this instance is parallel to my own and there exists no other basis for denying any clearance to my designee. Failure to grant clearances to my designee violates S. Res. 4 and Director of Central Intelligence Directive No. 1/14.

Unless you are prepared to question my "need-to-know", I request that you take immediate action to grant the requested clearances to my S. Res. 4 Senate Armed Services Committee designee, as provided in DCID No. 1/14.

Sincerely,

Robert Morgan
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